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U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-01367-EGS

LEGAL SERVICES OF EASTERN MISSOURI v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN

DEVELOPMENT

Assigned to: Judge Emmet G. Sullivan Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Plaintiff

LEGAL SERVICES OF EASTERN MISSOURI

Date Filed: 05/13/2019 Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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| 05/13/2019 | <u>1</u> | COMPLAINT for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090–6118442) filed by LEGAL SERVICES OF EASTERN MISSOURI. (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet, # 2 Summons to Attorney General, # 3 Summons to HUD, # 4 Summons to United States Attorney)(Kirkpatrick, Michael) (Entered: 05/13/2019) |
| 05/13/2019 | 2 | LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by LEGAL SERVICES OF EASTERN MISSOURI (Kirkpatrick, Michael) (Entered: 05/13/2019) |

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| 05/13/2019 | | Case Assigned to Judge Emmet G. Sullivan. (zeg) (Entered: 05/13/2019) |
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| 05/13/2019 | <u>3</u> | SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # 1 Notice and Consent)(zeg) (Entered: 05/13/2019) |
| 05/14/2019 | 4 | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 5/14/2019. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 6/13/2019. (Kirkpatrick, Michael) (Entered: 05/14/2019) |
| 05/15/2019 | <u>5</u> | NOTICE of Appearance by Damon William Taaffe on behalf of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Taaffe, Damon) (Entered: 05/15/2019) |
| 05/16/2019 | <u>6</u> | NOTICE of Appearance by Patrick D. Llewellyn on behalf of LEGAL SERVICES OF EASTERN MISSOURI (Llewellyn, Patrick) (Entered: 05/16/2019) |
| 05/20/2019 | 7 | STANDING ORDER: The parties are directed to read the attached Standing Order Governing Civil Cases Before Judge Emmet G. Sullivan in its entirety upon receipt. The parties are hereby ORDERED to comply with the directives in the attached Standing Order. Signed by Judge Emmet G. Sullivan on 05/20/19. (Attachment: Exhibit 1) (mac) (Entered: 05/20/2019) |
| 05/29/2019 | <u>8</u> | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 05/20/2019. (Kirkpatrick, Michael) (Entered: 05/29/2019) |
| 06/13/2019 | 9 | ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT.(Taaffe, Damon) (Entered: 06/13/2019) |
| 06/25/2019 | | MINUTE ORDER. Plaintiff brings this action pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552. The parties are directed to meet and confer and propose a joint scheduling order for further proceedings in this case by no later than August 5, 2019. The parties joint proposed scheduling order shall address the following: (1) The status of plaintiffs FOIA request; (2) The anticipated number of documents responsive to plaintiffs FOIA request; (3) The anticipated date(s) for release of documents responsive to plaintiffs FOIA request; (4) Whether a motion for an Open America stay is likely in this case; (5) Whether a Vaughn index will be required in this case; (6) Whether this case would benefit from referral to a magistrate judge or the District Court Mediation Program for purposes of settlement; and (7) A proposed briefing schedule for dispositive motions, if applicable. If the parties are unable to agree on a joint recommendation, the joint proposed scheduling order shall include each partys individual recommendations. Signed by Judge Emmet G. Sullivan on 6/25/2019. (lcegs2) (Entered: 06/25/2019) |
| 06/25/2019 | | Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Proposed Scheduling Order due by 8/5/2019. (mac) (Entered: 06/25/2019) |
| 06/28/2019 | <u>10</u> | Joint MOTION for Briefing Schedule by LEGAL SERVICES OF EASTERN MISSOURI (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order, # 2 Declaration of Lisa D'Souza in Support of Plaintiff's Position)(Llewellyn, Patrick) (Entered: 06/28/2019) |
| 07/12/2019 | 11 | NOTICE <i>OF NON-OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANT'S PROPOSED BRIEFING SCHEDULE</i> by LEGAL SERVICES OF EASTERN MISSOURI re <u>10</u> Joint MOTION for Briefing Schedule (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit Letter from St. Louis County Executive to HUD Field Office Director)(Kirkpatrick, Michael) (Entered: 07/12/2019) |
| 07/13/2019 | | MINUTE ORDER granting 10 joint motion for briefing schedule. In light of the representations made in 11 the plaintiff's notice of non–opposition to defendant's proposed briefing schedule, the following schedule shall govern these proceedings: Defendant shall file its motion for summary judgment by no later than August 14, 2019. Plaintiff shall file its cross–motion for summary judgment and opposition by no later than September 4, 2019. Defendant shall file its opposition to plaintiff's cross–motion and its reply by no later than September 18, 2019. Plaintiff shall file its reply by no later than September 25, 2019. Signed by Judge Emmet G. Sullivan on 7/13/19.(lcegs2) (Entered: 07/13/2019) |